

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	DATE FILED: _____
v.	:	CRIMINAL NO. _____
SALEEM LUCAS	:	VIOLATIONS:
	:	18 U.S.C. § 2119 (carjacking - 1
	:	count)
	:	18 U.S.C. § 924(c)(1) (use of a firearm
	:	during a crime of violence - 1 count)
	:	18 U.S.C. § 1512(b) (witness tampering - 1
	:	count)

I N D I C T M E N T

COUNT ONE

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

On or about March 9, 2007, in Philadelphia, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, defendant

SALEEM LUCAS,

with intent to cause death and serious bodily harm, at gun point, took, and aided and abetted, and willfully caused the taking of, a motor vehicle, that is, a BMW 745 series sedan, vehicle identification number ("VIN") WBAGN63413DR08811, from the person and presence of another, that is, the owner of the BMW, by force, violence, and intimidation, that had been transported, shipped, and received in interstate commerce.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2119(1).

COUNT TWO

THE GRAND JURY FURTHER CHARGES THAT:

On or about March 9, 2007, in Philadelphia, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, defendant

SALEEM LUCAS

knowingly used and carried a firearm, that is, a black handgun, during and in relation to a crime of violence for which he may be prosecuted in a court of the United States, that is, carjacking in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2119.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(c)(1).

COUNT THREE

THE GRAND JURY FURTHER CHARGES THAT:

In or about April 2007, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, defendant

SALEEM LUCAS

knowingly attempted to intimidate and corruptly persuade B.M., a person known to the grand jury, with intent to prevent the testimony of B.M., and cause or induce B.M. to withhold testimony from an official proceeding, that is, preliminary hearings in the Court of Common Pleas of Philadelphia in connection with state charges against defendant LUCAS arising from the same incident that is described in Count One of this indictment.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1512(b)(1) and (2)(A).

A TRUE BILL:

GRAND JURY FOREPERSON

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